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Statement from Mayor Tom Barrett on the Legislature Closing the MPS Special Session

“It is unfortunate that the School Board raced to hire a Superintendent before the Legislature was able to act on either of the two proposals concerning MPS governance. The School Board decided to embrace the status quo at the expense of Milwaukee’s children. My concern for MPS remains improving the educational outcomes of students and fixing the district’s financial future. Today’s action by the Legislature is by no means the final chapter in the story of reforming and improving MPS.”